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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

BRANDON E. DOUGLASS,

vs.

MATT JOHNSON,

Plaintiff,

NO. CV-05-5112-CI

Defendant.

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND

RECOMMENDATION AND DISMISSING ACTION WITHOUT PREJUDICE

Magistrate Judge Imbrogno filed a Report and Recommendation on December 30, 2005, recommending Mr. Douglass's action be dismissed without prejudice for failure to exhaust and in forma pauperis status be denied. There being no objections, the court ADOPTS the Report and Recommendation. The action is DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE for failure to exhaust and the Application to proceed in forma pauperis (Ct. Rec.

2) is **DENIED.**

IT IS SO ORDERED. The District Court Executive is directed to enter this Order, forward a copy to Plaintiff and close the file.

DATED this 1st day of February, 2006.

s/ Robert H. Whaley
ROBERT H. WHALEY
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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